

2008 Hispanic Youth Symposium

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT EACH STUDENT
ATTENDING THE HISPANIC YOUTH SYMPOSIUM RECEIVES THIS
MESSAGE**

PRELIMINARY SPEECH COMPETITION INFORMATION & SCHEDULE and FAMILY NIGHT INFORMATION & SCHEDULE

The Hispanic Youth Symposium (HYS) Preliminary Speech Competitions and Family Night Meetings will be held March 13th (Thursday) and March 14th (Friday).

Please see the attached schedule for your time and location.

PRELIMINARY SPEECH COMPETITION INFORMATION

To participate in the speech competition you **MUST** have the following items completed prior to your designated preliminary speech competition date (listed below).

1. A **completed** Speech Contest Application must be submitted with Student Application.
2. Your speech manuscript must be **typed**. Make two copies (one for yourself and one must be given to the judge at the preliminary speech competition).

The point of contact for the speech competition is **Lisa Nate**; you may contact her at 526-2426 or by e-mail lisa.nate@inl.gov.

If you are interested in competing and cannot attend the scheduled preliminary speech competition listed below, please contact Lisa Nate to make special arrangements.

Other items to mention:

1. The top twenty contestants will be notified by phone on Friday, April 4th. Verify you have provided a valid phone number in order for a member of the speech committee to contact you.
2. Feedback from judges is available (per your request).
3. Scholarships will be awarded from 1st to 5th Place. Award amounts are not yet confirmed.
4. Judges are bilingual.

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FAMILY NIGHT MEETINGS

The family night meetings are held each year to inform parents and students on what to expect at HYS. We will also discuss what is expected of each student and explain to the parents the security measures taken to ensure the safety of everyone in attendance.

Please see the attached schedule to determine which location your high school is scheduled. You are welcome to attend a different location.

Family night meetings will be in English and Spanish.

If you have any questions related to family nights, please contact Maria Mitchell at 208-526-8600 or mitchemm@id.doe.gov. You can also visit our website for further information:

<http://www.inl.gov/hys/>

SCHOOLS NOT LOCATED NEAR SPEECH/FAMILY NIGHT LOCATION

The following schools not located near a speech/family night location will receive a family night packet mailed directly to each student's home, as well as to the counselor for that school:

1. Bonners Ferry
2. Lewiston
3. Post Falls

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SPEECH PRELIMINARY & FAMILY NIGHT SCHEDULE

Note: If another location is more convenient, please attend there.

Thursday, March 13th		
High Schools		Location
Boise	Mtn. Cove	Boise High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Room: Auditorium</u>
Borah	Mtn. Home	
BSU Eq.	Rimrock	
Capital	Timberline	
Centennial		
Central Academy		
Melba		
Caldwell	Middleton	Caldwell High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Rooms:</u> 1. Lecture Hall – Speech 2. Auditorium – Family Night
Canyon Springs	Mtn. View	
Cascade	Nampa	
Columbia	New Plymouth	
Eagle	Notus	
Emmett	Parma	
Fruitland	Payette	
Homedale	Skyview	
Idaho Arts Charter	Vallivue	
Kuna	Weiser	
Marsing	Wilder	
Meridian		
Meridian Academy		

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Thursday, March 13th		
High Schools		Location
Clark Madison North Fremont South Fremont	Sugar-Salem Teton West Jefferson	Madison High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Room - Library</u>
Bliss Buhl Burley Cassia Alt Castleford Declo Dietrich Filer Glenns Ferry Gooding Gooding Acc. Hagerman Jerome	Kimberly Magic Valley Minico Murtaugh Mtn. Harrison Oakley Raft River Richfield Shoshone Twin Falls Valley Wendell Wood River	Twin Falls High School 5:30 Speech Preliminary 7:00 Family Night <u>Room – Teacher’s Lounge</u>
Friday, March 14th		
High Schools		Location
Aberdeen American Falls Bear Lake Century Grace Idaho Leadership	Independence Alt Highland Malad Pocatello Preston Soda Springs	Highland High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Rooms:</u> 1. XX Room - Speech 2. Media Center – Family Night
Blackfoot Bonneville Firth Hillcrest Lincoln Idaho Falls	Rigby Ririe Shelley Skyline Snake River Westview/Emerson	Idaho Falls High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Rooms:</u> 1. Little Theater – Speech 2. Media Center – Family Night
Butte Carey Challis Mackay Salmon		Butte High School 5:30 Speech 7:00 Family Night <u>Room: Library</u>